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In the Application of

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For: **Method of Sequencing Computer
Controlled Tasks Based on the
Relative Spatial Location of Task
Objects in a Directional Field**

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Sir:

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Applicant hereby gives notice of appeal from the Final Office Action dated April 5, 2001. In particular, the rejection of claims 1-41 is being appealed. Enclosed is a check for \$155 to cover the fee. If this check is insufficient in any way, please charge the required fee to the Coats & Bennett, P.L.L.C. Deposit Account No. 18-1167.

Respectfully submitted,

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